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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Inoue et al.

Serial No.: 09/987,194 Group Art Unit: 3627

Filed: November 13, 2001 Examiner: Gerald J. O'Connor

For: SYSTEM FOR PURCHASE MANAGEMENT AND FOR FACILITATING
DISTRIBUTION

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for two-months extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed April 5, 2006. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed simultaneously herewith. A Petition and Fee for a One-Month Extension of Time was filed on July 28, 2006. The extension fee in the amount of (\$450.00 - \$120.00 = \$330.00) is included in the total fee for filing the Request for Continued Examination for the above-identified application, a check for which accompanies this submission. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted,

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